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Erie County
Opiate Epidemic
Task Force

HEALTH CARE PROVIDER EDUCATION AND POLICY REFORM ACTIVITIES ACTIVITIES UPDATE

Projects

- Buprenorphine training and follow up
- SBIRT roll out
- ED Buprenorphine Induction pilot
- Opioid and benzodiazepine co-prescribing

Buprenorphine training and follow-up

- Trained ~25 pediatric providers on May 5th
- June 10th OBGYN/PCP training poor turn out
 - 8 participants
- Low turn out for follow up trainings
 - 4-5 participants
- Next training September 9
 - Trying to recruit family medicine residents
- Tower Foundation funding
- UB CMEs

SBIRT roll out

Pediatric

- AAP and OASAS endorsed peds SBIRT Training Of Trainers May 6-7, 2017
 - 20 participants
 - Tower Foundation funding
 - UB CMEs
- CAP PC modifying curriculum for WNY
 - Plan to train pediatric offices this fall

SBIRT roll out

Adult

- Erie County Medical Society collaboration to train PCP offices
- 9/12/17 Medical Society educational dinner to inform physician offices about SBIRT
 - Physicians, NPs, PAs, and office managers
- 10/14/17 SBIRT training at Medical Society
- OASAS certified SBIRT trainer
- Working with Medical Society to develop “play book” with resources needed to implement SBIRT
 - Billing, referral contacts, screening tools

Other Projects

- ED Buprenorphine Induction pilot
 - Still seeking funding support
- Exploring guidance for opioid/benzo co-prescribing
 - Collaboration with UB Schools of Public Health and Pharmacy and Task Force